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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 March 19, 2004

#### Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

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### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated November 19, 2003, the period for response having been extended for one (1) month until March 19, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes amendments to the specification, a claim set as amended and remarks.

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